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MRS. MARY E. DIANDREA
U.S. DISTRICT COURT

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REQUEST FOR ~~RE~~
EMERGENCY HELP
AND COURT ASSISTANCE

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SARANTON, PENNSYLVANIA 18501

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DEAR MRS. DIANDREA

I'M INMATE DONNID GENTRY WHOM BEING
INMATE NO. CB-3431 WHICH IS CURRENTLY HOUSED AT THE
STATE CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION AT SMITHFIELD HERC. EN.
HUNTINGDON PA. WHOM IS ALSO THE PLAINTIFF IN CASE
NO. L.C.V.OO-1675 GENTRY V. MORGAN WHICH IS FILED
ON SEPTEMBER 20-2000 IN WHICH I HAVE MADE SEVERAL
ALLEGATIONS AGAINST THE INSTITUTIONAL MEDICAL DEPT.
I'VE ALSO ASKED THE COURTS TO ISSUE A COURT ORDER
TO KEEP THE STAFF FROM HARASSING ME, THREATENING ME
OR TAKING AWAY MY MAIL. HOWEVER THE COURT HAS
NOT ISSUED THIS ORDER AND I'M HAVING SEVERAL
PROBLEMS

WHICH STARTED ON SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 24-2000 WITH
LT. B. S. LEAR FIRST THREATEN TO KILL ME AND ORDERED
HIS OFFICERS TO TAKE AWAY MY MAIL REQUEST FORMS
TO STAFF AND HE ALSO GAVE MY CIVIL ORDERS NOT TO
GIVE ME ANYTHING OR THE STAFF WOULD ABUSE HIM. I'VE
ALSO REQUESTED LEGAL TELEPHONE CALLS AND WAS REFUSED
PRIOR ONE SGT ON ONE OCCASION INMATE GENTRY YOU
DON'T GET NOTHING THE WHITE POINT IS THEY KNOW THAT
THEY

WAS WRONG FOR REFUSING ME PROPER HEALTH CARE
AND NOW THEY ARE ABUSING ME AND TAKING AWAY
MY MAIL IN A ATTEMPT TO MAKE ME LOSS MY CASE
AS LT. B. S. LEAR PUT IT YOU'LL NEVER WIN NO FREE
MONEY AS LONG AS I'M HERE IT'S NOT A BULL MONEY
IT'S A MATTER OF MY HEALTH AND MY CIVIL RIGHTS.

BEING

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VIOLATED. I'VE TAKING THE TIME TO SPEAK WITH SEVERAL OFFICERS AND THEY EXPRESSED TO ME THAT THEY WERE ONLY FOLLOWING THE ORDERS OF THEIR SUPERVISOR. AT THIS POINT I'M NOT ABLE TO CORRESPOND WITH FAMILY MEMBERS, FRIENDS OR MY CRIMINAL ATTORNEY BECAUSE THE MAIL IS BEING TAMPERED WITH. WHAT THE OFFICERS DO IS TAKE THE MAIL AND OPEN IT AND READ IT. AND IF ITS SOMETHING THAT WILL HELP ME OR FROM SOMEONE WHO IS TRYING TO ASSIST ME

THEY SIMPLY DO NOT GIVE IT TO ME. THEY GAVE IT TO SOMEONE ELSE OR THROW IT AWAY. I HAVE PEOPLE ALL OVER THE US WHO WRITE TO ME. MORE AT ONE POINT I USE TO RECEIVE MAIL EVERY DAY IT THEN WENT TO TWO DAYS A WEEK. AND ONCE I FILED MY CIVIL COMPLAINT IT STOPPED ALL TOGETHER. THE LT'S, MAJORS AND SOME OF THE OFFICERS SEEM TO THINK THAT I'M CRAZY. BUT A CRAZY PERSON CAN'T FILE A PRO-SE LAWSUIT OR

WRITE TO THE COURTS AND TELL THEM WHAT'S GOING ON INSIDE OF THE PRISON SYSTEM. HERE'S A LITTLE PROOF HOW CAN A CRAZY PERSON TELL YOU THAT THE SLAVES WAS FREED IN 1864 OR TELL YOU THAT $9 \times 9 = 81$. OTHER THAN MY FACE BEING IRRITATED I'M ALSO THE GOOD IDENTIFY SO IF SOMETHING HAPPENS TO ME IN HERE IT'S BECAUSE THE COURTS REFUSED TO ASSIST ME.

MY FATHER HAS PERSONALLY WRITTEN TO THE DEPT OF CORRECTIONS AND MY SISTER IN LAW HAS WRITTEN TO SEVERAL PLACES THEIR COMPLAINTS SIMPLY WENT UNANSWERED. IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO

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CONFIRM THESE STATEMENTS. ALL YOU HAVE TO DO IS
WRITE TO THEM OR CALL THEM. MY FATHER CAN BE
LOCATED AT, PASTOR, CHARLES GENTRY 2309 RUFFIN
RD. RICHMOND VA 23234, (PHONE) [804] 232-0446
AND MY SISTER IN LAW CAN BE REACHED AT
PATSY ANN GENTRY PO. BOX 6074 FELISHMANNS
NY 12430. SOME OF THE INMATES WITHIN
COULD POSSIBLY CONFIRM THE WAY THE STAFF TREAT
US IS INMATE JOHN HALL, INMATE JOHN TRYIER
BX 9572 AND A FEW OTHERS WHOM ARE ALSO
HOUSED.

HERE AT SCE-SMITHFIELD I'VE WRITTEN TO
THE PA PRISON SOCIETY HERE ON HUNTINGDON AND
TO THE DAILY NEWS ABOUT THEIR WRONGFUL ACTIONS
ALSO. THE DAILY NEWS FAILED TO INTERVIEW ME
AND PRISON SOCIETY FAILED TO ASSIST ME. MY
ONLY HOPE NOW IS THE COURTS WHICH IS WHY I'M
WRITING THIS LETTER. EVERY DAY THAT LT B.S. COKE
COMES TO WORK HE MINCES IT A POINT TO HARNESS
ME FOR NO REASON. MY FATHER WANTS TO COME
TO

VISIT ME. BUT THE INSTITUTION WILL NOT ALLOW
THE PRISON CHAPLAIN TO ASSIST ME. MY COUNSELOR
ANGELA ZIMMERMAN REFUSED TO APPROVE MY PHONE
CALLS TO MY ATTORNEYS. AND I HAVE NOT SPOKEN TO
MY FAMILY IN OVER 3 MONTHS. WHAT I REALLY NEED
FOR THE COURTS TO DO IS GRANT ME A COURT ORDER
AGAIN THE INSTITUTIONAL STAFF WHICH WILL ORDER THEM
NOT

TO ABUSE ME, TAKE AWAY MY MAIL AND TO SEND ME
TO A SKIN DOCTOR TO CHECK MY SKIN TO SEE WHAT'S
POSSIBLE CAUSING THE IRRITATION. IF THE COURTS DON'T
GIVE THEM ORDERS THEY ARE GOING TO CONTINUE TO
TAKE AWAY

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MY MAIL AND REFUSE ME PROPER MEDICAL TREATMENT.
BEFORE I FILED MY CASE THE COURTS INFORMED ME
THAT BEFORE THEY COULD ASSIST ME I WOULD HAVE
TO FILE A COMPLAINT WITH THE COURTS. - HOWEVER I
HAVE FILED A COMPLAINT AND I'M STILL NOT BEING
ASSISTED BY THE COURTS PRIOR THE RULES. I BELIEVE
THAT THE PRISON OFFICIALS THINK THAT THEY HAVE MORE
POWER AND AUTHORITY THAN THE COURTS BECAUSE LT
LEAR ANGE MADE A STATEMENT THAT THIS WAS
HIS PLAY GROUND AND THAT HE RUN THIS JAILHOUSE.

I

MENTIONED THE COURTS TO BE SURE THAT THE COURTS
RECEIVE MY MAIL I HAVE TO SEND IT CERTIFIED
AND I DO NOT HAVE THE MONEY TO CONTINUE TO DO
SO. THE COURTS SHOULD ALSO SEND THEIR MAIL TO ME
CERTIFIED THAT WAY IF SOMEONE GETS IT THEY HAVE
TO SIGN FOR IT. ENCLOSING I'LL BE DEEP IN PROGRESS
THAT I HEAR FROM YOU VERY SOON.

YOURS TRULY
Donald Gentry

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